

Texas Representative Roberto R. Alonzo's

Capitol Report



Rep. Alonzo (center) met with high school students Jenna Thompson, Juan Gonzalez, Gabby Aviles and Salma Guzman who are a part of the South Texas Youth Congress. The group was at the Capitol as a part of their civic participation where they talked to Rep. Alonzo about HB 3467, a measure which would bring live full motion video connection from MD Anderson to the Rio Grande Valley's new medical school. They shared how the effort would allow students like them to obtain the same level of post-graduate educational opportunities as their metropolitan peers.



Also this week, Rep. Alonzo (right) met with Grand Prairie Mayor Ron Jensen to discuss important legislative priorities that impact communities like Grand Prairie and others in the DFW region. The City of Grand Prairie is part of Rep. Alonzo's House District 104.

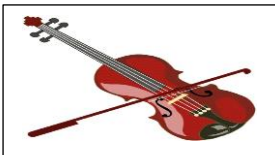


On April 8th the Texas State Employees Union sent a delegation of their members from Dallas to the Capitol. Rep. Alonzo met with the group to discuss raising the minimum wage for Texas state employees and their support of the House plan to restore the Employee retirement system pension fund back to sustainability. Their proposal for a \$6,000/ year raise is intended to restore the standard of living and help reduce employee turnover.

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